

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Narasimha R. Valiveti; Ronald S. Karr; Randall K. Shingai; Gopal Sharma  
Assignee: Symantec Operating Corporation  
Title: DISTRIBUTION OF DATA VOLUME VIRTUALIZATION  
Application No.: 10/696,622 Filing Date: October 29, 2003  
Examiner: Horace L. Flournoy Group Art Unit: 2189  
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Austin, Texas  
November 16, 2007

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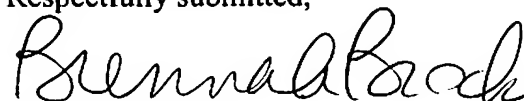
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until November 16, 2007 to respond.

Please charge the amount of \$120 as set forth in the enclosed transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,



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